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\$25 Million!



Fraternal Order of Eagles members and University of Iowa staff pose with check signifying the F.O.E.'s completion of its \$25 million commitment to fund the Fraternal Order of Eagles Diabetes Research Center during the Eagles' Welcome to Orlando Show, Sunday, July 13, at the Rosen Centre Hotel in Orlando, Fla.

Eagles Complete Commitment to Fund DRC

Following six years of tireless effort, members of the Fraternal Order of Eagles gathered on the floor of the Rosen Centre Hotel's Grand Ballroom with hands raised in celebration. The resulting photo, seen above, commemorated the completion of the F.O.E.'s \$25 million goal to fund the Fraternal Order of Eagles Diabetes Research Center at the University of Iowa - the largest fundraising endeavor in the organization's 116-year history.

The presentation of the final \$6 million installment was the centerpiece of the Eagles' Welcome Show, held annually to kick off International Convention festivities.

For the fourth consecutive year, the F.O.E. held a special live

DRC auction during the show, with this year's edition shattering previous records by raising \$24,950 for the fight against diabetes. (A full breakdown of live auction items can be found on page 3.)

Comedians Mark Eddie and Tom Parks, both Type-1 diabetics and avid DRC supporters, filled the crowd with laughter leading up to the big ceremony.

Following the final presentation and group photos, legendary country artist Lee Greenwood surprised the crowd with a special unannounced performance.

To view photos from the Welcome to Orlando Show, visit the Grand Aerie's Official Flickr page at flickr.com/grandaeriefoe.

Hank Williams, Jr., Makes \$5,000 Donation to DRC

During a handful of shows over the last year, legendary musician Hank Williams Jr., offered a portion of the sales of his CD "Old School, New Rules" to the Fraternal Order of Eagles Diabetes Research Center in honor of his daughter, Hilary, who has lived with Type-1 diabetes her entire life. With the help of Eagle Brothers and Sisters, enough CDs were sold to raise \$5,000 for the DRC, which was presented during the 2014 International Convention. Hank's Stage Manager Jimmy Davis is a member of South Omaha #154 and first brought the DRC to Hank's attention.



God, Flag & Country 10 & 11

- 1st - Kylie Schmidt, Ohio
- 2nd - Dakota Williams, Arkansas
- 3rd - Anna Holcomb, Georgia
- 4th - Kathryn Byers, Kansas

12 & 13

- 1st - Lexi Wilson, Indiana
- 2nd - Cole Maxson, Ohio
- 3rd - Tyler Logel, Georgia
- 4th - Theresa Cude, Arkansas

14 & 15

- 1st - Vanessa Pasadyn, Ohio
- 2nd - Katerina Stagl, Georgia
- 3rd - Ammie Williams, Arkansas
- 4th - Emily Dawes, Kansas

Top Producers for the 2013-14 Fraternal Year

Top Aerie Producers

- 1st - Lima, OH #470 433
- 2nd - Lake Havasu City, AZ #4299 372
- 3rd - Coeur D'Alene, ID #486 340
- 4th - Winchester, VA #824 310
- 5th - Coshocton, Ohio #761 294

Top Auxiliary Producers

- 1st - Puyallup, WA #2308 244
- 2nd - Port Orange, FL #4089 226
- 3rd - Lake Havasu City, AZ #4299 203
- 4th - Chagrin Falls, OH #2436 165
- 5th - Cape Coral, FL #3957 150

Individual Aerie Producers

- 1st - Cherilyn J. Rhoads 142
Coeur D'Alene, ID #486
- 2nd - Michael Jordan 139
Plymouth, PA #546
- 3rd - Rodney Clem 125
Port Charlotte, FL #3296
- 4th - Ronald Lane 120
Cape Coral, FL #3957
- 5th - Roy Swartz 114
Winchester, VA #824

Individual Auxiliary Producers

- 1st - Sandra Milletics 75
Port Orange, FL #4089
- 2nd - Jennifer Kless 66
Chagrin Falls, OH #2436
- 3rd - Barbara Stull 62
Fremont, OH #712
- 4th - Mary Hornsby 56
Norwalk, OH #711
- 5th - Carole Eppley 46
Gettysburg, PA #1562

Children's Day Contest

- Winner - Washington, Indiana #414

Top Producers/ New Leaders

For July 2014

Aerie:

- 1. #2311 Toronto, ON 36
- 2. #4264 New Market, VA 35
- 3. #4487 Williamstown, WV 34
- 4. #3602 Ocean Park, WA 33
#4528 Ocean View, DE 33

Auxiliary:

- 1. #2436 Chagrin Falls, OH 28
- 2. #4089 Port Orange, FL 21
- 3. #3957 Cape Coral, FL 20
- 4. #1325 Greenfield, OH 17
- 5. #2298 Auburn, WA 15

Aerie (Individual):

- 1. Roy Thomas 26
Ocean View, DE #4528
- 2. Gordon W. Baker 23
Lorida, FL #4240
- 3. Ronald W. Lane 22
Cape Coral, FL #3957
- 4. Kevin Bodie 21
Stanwood, MI #4360
- 5. Thomas R. Fisher 16
Vienna, WV #2307

Auxiliary (Individual):

- 1. Alice McKean 13
Sullivan, OH #2051
- 2. Erin V. Hafer 10
Greenfield, OH #1325
- 3. Barbara J. Stull 8
Fremont, OH #712
- 4. Carol Smith 7
Irwin, OH #3974
- 5. Marilyn Pfahl #1387 6
Verna Murray #2298 6
Lois Sharp #248 6
Heather Wheele #2517 6
Patricia Malone #313 6
Jana E. Grills #3274 6
Lori Wright #3485 6
Linda Wilson #4067 6



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People Helping People - Convention Edition

Diabetes Research Center Live Auction

-Red, White & Blue Quilted Piece (Donor Unknown) - \$100 to Grant Beech.

-Log Cabin Afghan donated by Sherry Gingras - \$300 to Massachusetts State Aerie.

-Quilt made of previous Convention T-Shirts (Donor Unknown) - \$250 to Darwin Thomas.

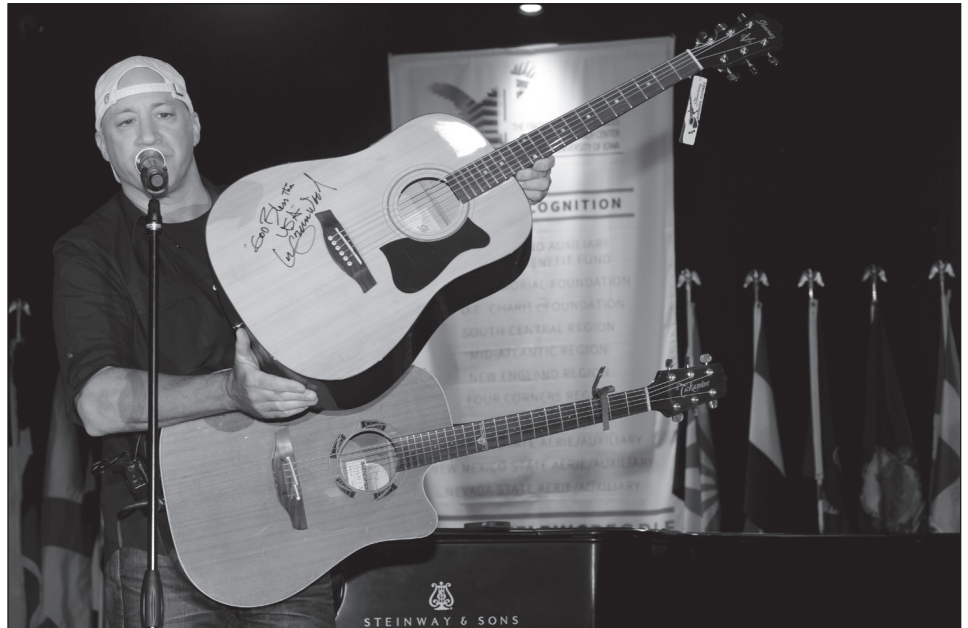
-Handmade Cane donated by Ted Newman - \$1,100 to Mass. State Aerie.

-Chainsaw-Carved Wooden Eagle donated by Wisconsin State Aerie - \$600 to Speedy Ross.

-Basket of Gift Cards worth \$1,700 donated by the Mountain Region and Hands Across the Border Club - \$10,000 to Colorado Springs Aerie #3260.

-Party Cooler featuring a variety of beers and liquors donated by the Mass. State Aerie - \$1,500 to Mass. State Aerie.

-Acoustic Guitar Autographed by Lee Greenwood donated by Steve Tolman - \$11,100 to Colorado Springs #3260.



Top: Comedian Mark Eddie shows off a guitar signed by singer Lee Greenwood during the 2014 DRC Live Auction.



Left: Later that night, Greenwood made a surprise appearance to close out the Welcome to Orlando Show.

For complete photos from the Welcome to Orlando Show and other 2014 International Convention Events, visit the Grand Aerie's official Flickr page at flickr.com/grandaeriefoe.

International Convention Grants

- \$90,000 to The Fraternal Order of Eagles Diabetes Research Center.

- \$30,000 to the Rosen Foundation

- \$30,000 to National Jewish Health & Research Center

- \$30,000 to Menninger Foundation

- \$30,000 to University of Michigan

- \$30,000 to Children's Hospital of the King's Daughters

- \$30,000 to Jackson Laboratory

- \$30,000 to Missouri Heart Institute

- \$30,000 to Home on the Range

- \$30,000 to Cancer Research Center of Missouri

- \$30,000 to Blank Children's Hospital

- \$30,000 to Schneck Medical Center Foundation

- \$30,000 to Harry S. Truman

Cardiology Laboratory

- \$30,000 to Orlando Regional

Healthcare Foundation

- \$40,000 to the Buescher

Foundation

Total - \$520,000

2013-2014 Charity Foundation Totals

Diabetes Research Center	\$962,680.99
Art Ehrmann Cancer Fund	\$439,163.62
Max Baer Heart Fund	\$390,823.75
H.O.M.E. Fund	\$383,632.38
Jimmy Durante Children's Fund	\$378,975.63
Robert Hansen Diabetes Fund	\$231,452.59
M. "Blackie" Floyd Alzheimer's Fund	\$227,137.20
D.D. Dunlap Kidney Fund	\$202,208.44
Lew Reed Spinal Cord Injury Fund	\$180,610.66
Jimmy Durante Child Abuse Fund	\$106,328.94
Memorial Foundation	\$103,542.63
Golden Eagle Fund	\$100,223.91
Parkinson's Fund	\$68,067.18
Eagle Village	\$35,624.89
Muscular Dystrophy Fund	\$28,138.30
Children's AIDS Awareness Fund	\$16,182.02
Disaster Relief Fund	\$15,372.34
Charity Foundation Contributions	\$2,018.00
Total	\$3,872,183.47

2014 Ritual Competition Winners

Aerie Shotgun

Junior Past Worthy President

(100) Chuck Weber, Casper, WY #306; Ed Campbell, Wellington, OH #2051; Nicholas Jesch, Puyallup, WA #2308

Worthy President

(100) Doug Lind, Albert Lea, MN #2258

Worthy Vice President

(100) Jim Donaldson, Wellington, OH #2051; Robert Bradstock, Wellington, OH #2051; Bob Wahls, Carlisle, PA #2051

Worthy Chaplain

(100) Dwight Hedglin, Ashland, OH #2178; Bill Schramm, Wellington, OH #2051

Worthy Conductor

(100) Leonard Blakely, Puyallup, WA #2308; Tony Brown, Idaho Falls, ID #576

Auxiliary Shotgun

Jr. Past Madam President

(100) Judy Johnson, Lawrence, KS #309; Betty Ross, Orlando, FL #3496; Cheryl Milburn, Woodburn, OR #3284

Madam President

(100) Susan Stults-Rizzi, The Dalles, OR #2126; Linda Donaldson, Wellington, OH #2051

Madam Vice President

(100) Terri Hurlbut, Ogden, UT #2472; Valerie Staley, Green River, WY #2350

Madam Chaplain

(100) Phyllis Schweitzer, Coos Bay, OR #538

Madam Conductor

(100) Sherrie Swanson, Cody, WY #818; Debbi Davis, Wellington, OH #2051; Jolene Taylor, Salt Lake City, UT #67

Aerie Team

Aerie Class B

(99.9) Carlisle, PA #1299

Aerie Class B-3

(99.68) Overgaard, AZ #4437

Auxiliary Team

Class B

(99.397) Springfield, MO #3934

Class B-3

(99.789) MINK #1

Class C

(99.494) Muskegon, MI #668

Class FD

(98.200) Walla Walla, WA #26

Visit www.foe.com for complete results from this year's competitions.

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Rick Powell, Fairborn, OH #2641
Chuck Weber, Casper, WY #306
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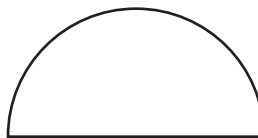
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Grand Auxiliary

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